

NAVAL MESSAGE

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FM CINCLANT

TO RUCRC/CINCARLANT
ZEN/CINCLANTFLT
RUEADXP/CINCAFLANT
ZEN/COMJWTF

INFO RUCBCR/CG XVIII ABN CORPS
RUECVAA/COMPHIBLANT
RUCQFH/COM NINETEENTH AF
RUEXDL/CINCSRIKE
RULPC/CINCARIB
RUECW/JCS
RUEPDA/DA
RUECW/CNO
RUEAHQ/C/S USAF
RUECEM/CMC

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// TOP SECRET //

OPERATION SCABBARDS

A. CINCLANT OPLAN
B. CINCLANT OPLAN
C. CINCLANT OPLAN

1. THE CODE WORD "SCABBARDS" IS ASSIGNED FOR USE IN IDENTIFYING ALL COMMUNICATIONS RELATING TO CUBAN PLANNING AND OPERATIONS. MESSAGES CONCERNING CUBAN PLANNING AND OPERATIONS WILL BE PREFACED BY THE WORDS "OPERATION SCABBARDS".

2. THE CLASSIFICATION OF THE CODE WORD "SCABBARDS" IS TOP SECRET ORIGINATORS OF MESSAGES MUST TAKE CARE TO ASSURE THAT THE MEANING OF THE WORD IS NOT REVEALED BY ITS USE IN CONFIDENTIAL

COG.....JCS/J3-5.....CNO(36-37)

CJCS-2 DJS-3 SJCS-1 J2-1 J4-4 J5-1 J6-3 SACS-1 DIA/CIIC-3 NMCS-5
MWSB-1 WHITE HOUSE-2 SEC DEF-2 FILE-1 (1-35) ceh

FLAGPLOT(36)...COG 00 VIAT4 (37)

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7 AND SECRET MESSAGES.

3. ORDERS TO EXECUTE ANY ONE OF THE PLANS IN REF A,B, OR C WILL EMPLOY THE CODE WORD " SCABBARDS" SUFFIXED BY THE IDENTIFYING NUMBER OF THE SPECIFIC PLAN. FOR EXAMPLE " EXECUTE SCABBARDS S-HOUR IS DTG. ACKNOWLEDGE".

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